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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

SHI-QING WANG, ET AL

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For: INTEGRATED CIRCUITS WITH MULTIPLE LOW DIELECTRIC-CONSTANT

INTER- METAL DIELECTRICS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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In the event that the Commissioner determines that an additional extension of time is required in order for this submission to be time, it is requested that this submission include a petition for an additional extension for the required length of time and the Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees necessitated by this paper or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.01-1125.

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